

DESERET EVENING NEWS

WEATHER REPORT.

Observations taken at 6 a. m. today, for previous 24 hours:
 Salt Lake City—Barometer, 25.96;
 current temperature, 26; maximum temperature, 47; minimum temperature, 22; mean temperature, 40, which is 3 degrees above normal.
 Accumulated excess of temperature since first of month, 51 degrees; accumulated excess of temperature since January 1st, 85 degrees.
 Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since first of month, 34 inch; accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1st, 4.12 inches.

FORECASTS TILL 6 P. M. WEDNESDAY.
 Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:
 Fair tonight and Wednesday; slight changes in temperature.
 For Utah, made at San Francisco:
 Fair tonight and Wednesday.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The crest of an area of high pressure again lies over the Great Basin, while the "low" is central over the lake region. Precipitation has fallen over Washington, along the Pacific coast and far south as San Francisco, and over the Pacific Northwest and colder over northern and eastern Montana and over western South Dakota.

TEMPERATURE TODAY.

10 a. m., 26; 12 noon, 45; 2 p. m., 48; 3 p. m., 47.

SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS...

CIRCULATION TODAY,

19,725

OUR AIM:

20,000 by the 20th Century!

NEW NAMES ADDED TO THE NEWS SUBSCRIPTION LISTS

From January 1, 1898, to Saturday, December 3, 1900, (after deducting all copies discontinued):
 Daily, 1,350.
 Semi-Weekly, 3,290.
 Total, 4,640.

To-day's Metals.

SILVER, Bar, 64
 LEAD, \$4.00
 CASTING COPPER 15 3-4 cents a lb.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The Christian Endeavor society is purchasing Christmas calendars, with appropriate texts, for the prisoners at the State Prison.

County Commissioner-elect James H. Anderson today filed his bond in the sum of \$5,000, John C. Cutler and E. H. Callister being his sureties.

Collector Kessler of the city poll tax department is busy upon the heads of delinquents. He says he is going to sue them all before the end of the year.

Colonel H. Evans and Ensign Minnie Bryant, of the Salvation Army, are here. They came from San Francisco, and the former will go on to Boston.

Oscar Erdahl is going to build a \$300 double house of five rooms, each on Third South street, near Eighth West. The plans are in the hands of the Architect.

The James B. McKean Woman's Relief Corps will hold an inspection on Thursday at 1:30 under the direction of Mary Jewett Tolford, acting national inspector from Utah.

H. S. Britt of Silver City, Idaho, and Miss Lillian M. Maister of Albany, N. Y., were married last night in the Kenyon parlor. The ceremony was performed by Judge Morris Sommer.

The funeral of P. T. Nystrom was held from the Twentieth ward meeting house this afternoon. The services being conducted by Bishop Romney. The interment was in the city cemetery.

Last night the local lodges of Knights of Pythias held a joint social at Castle hall. Over 200 guests were present and an enjoyable evening was spent in music, cards, recitations, speeches and refreshments.

The Utah Poultry association will hold a general meeting in the basement of the city and county building Friday evening to arrange for the annual poultry exhibit to be held about one month from now.

The tenth annual report of the board of education is out. It contains very valuable data respecting the city schools, which every citizen could peruse with advantage. A copy can be obtained by calling upon Clerk Morison.

Harry L. Thomas, son of Gomer Thomas, the state coal mine inspector, who went to the Kemmerer mines in Wyoming two months ago to accept the position of foreman, has been made assistant manager of the entire group of mines.

The work of the State board of equalization is delayed because of the failure of five county clerks to report. The delinquent clerks are from Juab, Kane, Millard, Salt Lake and Tooele counties. The law requires them to report by the 1st of December each year.

A fairly large audience gathered to St. Mark's school house last evening to witness the entertainment given under the auspices of St. Mark's Sunday school for the benefit of the Christmas festival. The entertainment consisted of stereopticon views and a concert which was highly appreciated.

The members of Battery A, N. G. U., were tendered a banquet and reception at the home of Capt. O. R. Gross last evening by the officers of the battery. About forty of the battery men, all dressed in uniform, attend the func-

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While the lake resort is thus being advertised at home Manager Bateman has been laying wires in the big cities of the East, with the end in view S. A. Mann was sent to the East some weeks ago with a trunk full of literature and numerous pictures of the lake and the Saitair beach. He is systematically working the ticket offices and hotels in the large cities and scattering printed matter broadcast he returned to this city last night.

He reports that the stockholders who were in attendance upon the fat stock show in Chicago two weeks ago, were exhibiting a lively interest in everything pertaining to Salt Lake, and in improving the National Live Stock convention, which will be held here next month. Hosts of tourists also are coming over the Union Pacific and the Santa Fe.

Reference to the southern lines which are usually so extensively patronized at this time of the year on account of the weather. This will mean an invasion of Salt Lake by people with money to spend who are attracted to this city by the immense amount of advertising now being indulged in by the representatives of the Rio Grande Western, Oregon Short Line and the Saitair Beach Company, who are now systematically working the eastern resorts and hotels.

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He paid \$12 for the ticket, and when the train started he found there was no sleeping car. As a result he had to spend the night sitting in a day coach. He declared that the coach was so cold that he contracted rheumatism, and he was forced to discontinue his trip through Texas.

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For family use in numberless ways BALLARD'S SNOW LYE is a useful and valuable remedy. Price 50 cents. Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

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If you want to smoke the mildest Havana cigar made, try the Henry Fourth. A trial will convince you.

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Everybody else it. Nothing beats it. Look for the label and ask your grocer for it every day. Health follows.

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POINTS OF EXCELLENCE.

A Few Reasons Which are Rapidly Making a New Catarrh Cure Famous.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, the new Catarrh cure, has the following advantages over other catarrh remedies.

First: These tablets contain no cocaine, morphine or any other injurious drug and are as safe and beneficial for children as for adults; this is an important point, as it is recalled that many catarrh remedies do contain these very objectionable ingredients.

Next: Being in tablet form this remedy does not deteriorate with age, or an exposure to the air as liquid preparations invariably do.

Next: The tablet form not only preserves the medicinal properties but it is so far more convenient to carry and to use at any time than it is only a question of time when the tablet will entirely supersede liquid medicines as it has already done in the medical department of the United States army.

Next: No secret is made of the position of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets; they contain the active principle of Eucalyptus bark, red gum blood root and Hydrastis, all harmless antiseptics which, however, are death to catarrh, and they eliminate them from the blood.

Next: You cannot cure catarrh by local applications to the nose and throat, because these are simply local symptoms and such treatment cannot possibly reach the real seat of catarrh, the blood; for this reason, inhalers, douches, sprays and powders never really cure catarrh, but simply give temporary relief by a dose of plain salt and water will do just as well.

Catarrh must be driven out of the system, out of the blood, by an internal remedy, and such treatment cannot possibly reach the real seat of catarrh, the blood; for this reason, inhalers, douches, sprays and powders never really cure catarrh, but simply give temporary relief by a dose of plain salt and water will do just as well.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets do this better than the old form of treatment, because they contain an internal remedy to modernize the treatment in the antiseptic treatment of the disease.

Next: The use of inhalers, and spraying apparatuses, besides being ineffective and disappointing, are also very costly. Stuart's Catarrh Tablets can be had at any drug store in the United States and Canada for 50 cents.

Overland has put a party of surveyors into that section of the country with an idea to locate a little development of that country itself.

H. B. Koser, commercial agent of the Missouri Pacific, returned from Pennsylvania this morning. He reports that apparently every big road in the East has been engaged in improving its tracks and otherwise trying to go one better than its competitor.

The Denver Post to hand devotes considerable space to the John W. Gates story. It asserts that the Chicago & North Western company has plans to invade the territory of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company and break into the monopoly which that corporation enjoys in the intermountain region at the present day. The project includes the development of the big iron and coal lands in Sever and Iron counties, Utah.

Pneumonia Prevented.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and the gripe during the last few weeks, the president of the Whitefield & Co., 240 Wabash avenue, Chicago, one of the most prominent retail druggists in the city, is one of the people who tell plainly how well it has succeeded. Price, 25 cents. Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

HOLIDAY RATES.

On Dec. 23, 24, 25, 30, 31 and January 1st, the Rio Grande Western will sell tickets to any station on its lines at one single fare for the round trip. Tickets good until January 3, 1901. The R. G. W. operates best train service in the State. Ten minutes faster between Ogden and Salt Lake; 20 to 40 minutes faster to and from Denver, Provo, Eureka, Mammoth, etc.

New machinery, new work, up-to-date, AMERICAN STEAM LAUNDRY.

Worms take refuge in the small intestine, where they can easily multiply. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE will destroy these parasites. The verdict of the people tells plainly how well it has succeeded. Price, 25 cents. Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

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We offer our entire Stock of Fine Dress Goods, Silks and Velvets, at 25 per cent off before Christmas.

R. K. THOMAS DRY GOODS CO.

Wanted.

COUPLE WOMEN DISHWASHERS, THE Kenyon Hotel.

SKUNK, HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR skunk and other furs; send for prices. C. R. Demare & Co., 401 Main St.

CHEAP LOTS IN THE CITY. STATE price and location. Address 413 Deseret News.

A GOOD CANNYSTER TO WORK ON liberal commission. Call on J. H. G. at 401 Main St. between the hours of 11 to 12 a. m.

GIRL TO WORK FOR BOARD AND GO to school. No children. 4 N Second West.

DO YOU WANT WORK? DO YOU want help? Go to Stock's Employment Agency, 141 Main street. Telephone 64.

TO BUY ALL THE 3RD HAND FURNITURE, stoves and C. & S. in the city. Get our prices before selling. L. X. L. & S. 2nd St. 2d St.

SEVERAL EXPERIENCED CANNYSTERS for the Deseret News, to place the Pacific Art Portfolio in this city. References required.

A NUMBER OF GOOD BOYS CAN FIND profitable employment selling the News. Call on J. H. G. at 401 Main St. between the hours of 11 to 12 a. m.

HELP WANTED.

RELIABLE PERSON in every county to represent large company of solid financial reputation; \$50 salary per month; payable weekly; \$5 per day; all expenses paid; steady, honest, non-fraudulent salary; no commission; salary paid each Saturday and expense money advanced each week. Standard House, Caxton Building, Chicago.

MALE HELP WANTED.

ENERGETIC SALESMAN, SCHOOL SUPPLIES. Country work. \$100 salary and commission. R. O. Evans & Co., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED-AGENTS.

ANY PERSON WHO WILL DISTRIBUTE circulars for \$3.00 daily should address Standard Co., 4 Wells, Chicago.

BEAUTIFUL PIANOS ONLY \$245.00.

Great Holiday Chance.

A number of beautifully cased, rich, sweet toned, standard new pianos, worth \$350 to \$400, to be sacrificed at \$245 to \$265, cash, or payments. Greatly reduced for the holidays. If you really want a good piano why not make early selection for immediate or Xmas delivery. Bargain in organ department also. Cable Piano and Organ Co., 32 Main St., opp. Z. C. M. I.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S

Excursions Via Oregon Short Line.
 At half rates to nearly all points, with long limit. Call at city ticket office, 201 Main street, for particulars.

MUSIC LOVERS.

All who desire information of the address, etc., of Salt Lake's music teachers, should consult the Musicians' Directory, published on the Dramatic and Musical page of the Saturday "News."

TARTER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT has been thoroughly tested for many years, and is a positive cure for all kinds of itching and embarrassing troubles. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.
 TWENTY-ONE ACRES OF LAND in Centerville, with house, barn and outbuildings; planted with fruit trees, etc. A. P. Barber, Centerville. Good water right.

A GOOD FARM OF 150 ACRES, ADJOINING new station of La Balle, Fremont County, Idaho. All fenced, with house, corn and 30 acres under cultivation. Price \$2,000. The Wilson-Sherman Co., owners, Salt Lake City.

J. L. PERKES, 78 W. 2nd SOUTH.
 THE WILSON-SHERMAN CO.

THOSE LOOKING TO BUY FARMS SEND for "The Negotiator," Large list of farms for sale. Price, 25 cents. J. L. Perkes, 78 W. 2nd South.

WE SELL REAL ESTATE, THAT'S ALL. Tuttle Bros., 141 Main street, 1st floor.

FINE HOMES ON BLOCK NORTH OF Franklin school for sale for cash or on easy terms. Fine location, one block from G. G. W. railway depot, between 1st and 2nd South streets. Price reasonable. Edward J. Ashton, One 4th West 1st South St.

SEE US FOR GENUINE SNAPS, LOANS and Insurance. Stein, 222 Main.

WILL SELL YOU A BARGAIN IN ANY part of the city. James A. Shaw, under Walker Bros' bank.

FOR SALE.

WORK TEAM, WAGON AND HARNESS, \$500. 43 West Fifth North.

YOUNG REGISTERED JERSEY BULLS, sired by "Beauty's" son, price \$100 and gold medal, state fair, 1899, 1900. Price reasonable, or trade for hay or grain. L. H. Menzies' store, Bountiful, Salt Lake City.

105 E. 2nd St., 8 ROOM MODERN, \$4300 437 1/2 E. 2nd St., 10 ROOM, \$1100. 171 K. 7 rooms modern, \$5400. 235 E. 5th south, 10 rooms, \$2600. The Wilson-Sherman Co., 32 West 2nd South.

YOU DON'T NEED TO BE VACCINATED to buy a cage and bird of song. McKay, 571 East Second south street, Salt Lake City.

Jersey Bulls. Barton, cor. 3 N. and Main.

Cows and Heifers. Barton, cor. 3 N. and Main.